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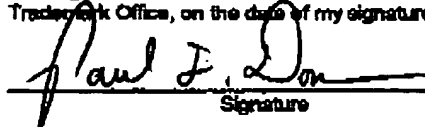
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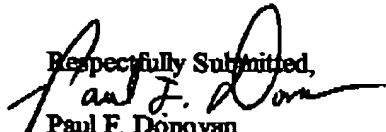
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Sir:

In response to the Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review filed May 15, 2006, a Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review was mailed on June 21, 2006 indicating that the application remains under appeal because there is at least one actual issue for appeal. Rather than proceed to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences, an RCE is being submitted herewith containing new amendments to the claims. It is respectfully requested that the above-identified application be amended as set forth below. No extension of time in which to file this paper is believed necessary. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required as set forth below. No additional claim fee is due. However, please debit any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 09-0025 as may be required in connection with the submission of this Amendment. IN NO EVENT CAN THE ISSUE FEE BE CHARGED TO THE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT.

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